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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This communication is responsive to the Notice under 37 CFR 1.251, dated 16 August 2005, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set for 16 November 2005 (hereinafter, the "Notice"). The Notice stated that in connection with the reconstruction of the instant file, the Office was unable to locate a copy of the Applicant's Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts including the signed Oath/Declaration dated 1/22/02.

In response to the Notice, the Applicant submits a copy of the above papers as contained in the files of the undersigned law firm. It is noted that after this application was filed, the Applicant transferred responsibility for this matter from the Woodcock Washburn law firm to the undersigned law firm. Therefore, the Power of Attorney faxed to the USPTO on or about 6 September 2005 supersedes the Associate Power of Attorney included in the copies of the papers submitted herein.

In any event, the Applicant submits that the enclosed copies are fully-responsive to the Notice. However, if the Applicant is mistaken, or if the Applicant can further assist in the reconstruction of this matter file, the Office is requested to contact the undersigned.

No revisions are made herein to the specification or to the claims as pending herein.

Favorable action on this matter is requested at the earliest convenience of the Office.

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In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted" dated September 19, 2001, a response to which is due, with extension, December 19, 2001, enclosed herewith for filing is:

| X | A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts. |
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| X | The original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by the inventor(s). An unexecuted copy of this document, attached to the above-identified specification, was filed by Express Mail No. EL 568 088 429 US on August 22, 2001. |
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| | Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27. |
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filling fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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